

Egremont Conservation Commission Minutes, meeting of 4/19/18		
CALL TO ORDER: 7 pm		
	Commissioners Present	Bill Tynan (Chair), David Seligman, Alina Hsu
	Guests	Jeffrey Collingwood Engineer of record for Ryan, Anthony (Tony) Samale Berkshire Mountain Design Build project manager for Ryan, Will Steinert of Steinert Tree Care for Emlaw
CITIZEN INQUIRIES		
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PROJECTS (NEW AND ONGOING)		
2	196 Egremont Plain Rd Solar Panel Installation RDA	Site visit today, David: they asked permission to move the location of the wattles to the other side of a small swale, still a good distance from the river. David showed pictures. All approved this, and permitting the project to go ahead.
3	Mass DOT Rt 23 resurface RDA	Apr 11 email James Toomey of Palmer Paving requested a site visit. Repaving from NY State line to Smiley's Pond – site visit yesterday– silt fence installed as per plan, beautiful job, some tweaks needed and corrections are in process. Brian Siok of Mass DOT and Dylan Courtney of Palmer Paving present.
4	Rush 73 Jug End Road RDA	Replacement septic system. Former system failed. Site visit report: Bill Tynan – sedimentation & erosion controls were well done. Unanimous: Approved to start work.
5	Goldberg 68 Lakeside Drive	Site visit 4/10 – Alina (lead), Bill and David were there, along with Robin, Shannon. We inspected wattles, recommended improvements. Alina followed up with a site visit 4/12 (print emails for file), specified one more improvement, and said ok to begin work. Richard Allen called Alina with query about site visit (print email for file).
PUBLIC HEARINGS		
6	Palmatier Prospect Lake Dam 153-0212	Requested continuance until May 17 at 7:30 pm. Unanimously approved.
7	Steinert/Emlaw Tree removal NOI 153-0214	Hearing opened 7:37 pm. We are awaiting remediation plan. Will asked Danielle to take care of this. Danielle has not yet received the remediation plan from her contractor. Will has a check for the Town. Mark Stinson said Will needs to specify square footage of tree dripline, not work area. Will can make corrections on existing plan, and NOI page(s). Hearing continued to May 3 at 7:30. There was confusion re who was applicant and per DEP Will Steinert is Applicant (per original filing). Hearing stopped at 7:53 pm.
8	Ryan 35 Lakeside Dr RDA	7:56 Site plan shows additional detail re trees and parking. Area near Second Street maintains existing flow patterns and berm between street and site. South buffer zone border will have a mix of high and low bush blueberry or plantings of similar value. Unanimously approved Negative 3 Determination. Hearing closed at 8:34 pm.
CORRESPONDENCE		
9	Planning Board Baldwin Hill subdivision	Informational only, we have no jurisdiction or interest.
10	H2 Holdings	Missing page – Forest Cutting Plan Map – received from Tom Ryan, DCR
11	MACC / DEP forum	5/22 6:30 to 8 pm Lenox Town Hall, 6 Walker St, Lenox.
12	ZBA hearing	Goldberg, 68 Prospect Lake Rd. Just FYI, our permitting process has been completed.

ADMINISTRATIVE		
13	Mileage reimbursement	Forms signed for travel re Pittsfield MACC workshop.
14	Invoice	Publications ordered at MACC workshop. Received invoice, to be submitted to Mary Brazie for payment
MINUTES OF PRIOR MEETING		
15	10 Approval	Minutes of 3/22/18 meeting were unanimously approved.
ADJOURNMENT		
16	11	Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:34 pm.
17	12	Next meeting: 5/3/18

Respectfully submitted,

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Steve Fyfe